

Public Rights of Way Committee

Agenda

Date:	Monday 16th June 2014
Time:	2.00 pm
Venue:	Committee Suite 1,2 & 3, Westfields, Middlewich Road, Sandbach CW11 1HZ

The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the top of each report.

PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

1. **Apologies for Absence**

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. **Declarations of Interest**

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any disclosable pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests in any item on the agenda.

3. **Minutes of Previous meeting** (Pages 1 - 4)

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 18 March 2014 as a correct record.

4. **Public Speaking Time/Open Session**

Member of the public may speak on a particular application after the Chairman has introduced the report, provided that notice has been given in writing to Democratic Services by 12 noon one clear working day before the meeting. A total of 6 minutes is allocated for each application, with 3 minutes for objectors and 3 minutes for supporters. If more than one person wishes to speak as an objector or supporter, the time will be allocated accordingly or those wishing to speak may agree that one of their number shall speak for all.

For any apologies or requests for further information, or to give notice of a question to be asked by a member of the public

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Also in accordance with Procedure Rule No. 35 a total period of 10 minutes is allocated for members of the public to address the Committee on any matter relevant to the work of the Committee. Individual members of the public may speak for up to 5 minutes but the Chairman will decide how the period of time allocated for public speaking will be apportioned where there are a number of speakers. Members of the public are not required to give notice of the intention to speak, however as a matter of courtesy, a period of 24 hours notice is encouraged.

Members of the public wishing to ask a question at the meeting should provide at least three clear working days' notice in writing and should include the question with that notice. This will enable an informed answer to be given.

5. **Public Rights of Way Annual Report 2013-2014 and Work Programme 2014-2015** (Pages 5 – 39)

To consider report on the achievements of the Council in terms of its public rights of way functions during the year 2013-14 and the proposed work programme for the year 2014-15

6. **Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 - Part III, Section 53: Application to Upgrade Public Footpaths Nos.6 & 7(pt) Arclid and No.16 Smallwood to Bridleways.** (Pages 40 – 61)

To consider the application to upgrade Public Footpath Nos.6 and 7 Arclid and No.16 Smallwood to Bridleways

7. **Highways Act 1980 Section 119: Application for the Diversion of Public Footpath no. 53 (part), Parish of Alderley Edge** (Pages 62 – 67)

To consider the application to divert part of Public Footpath No.53 in the parish of Alderley Edge

8. **Highways Act 1980 Section 119: Application for the Diversion of Public Footpath Nos. 4 and 5 (parts), Parish of Smallwood** (Pages 68 – 73)

To consider the application to divert part of Public Footpaths Nos.4 and 5 in the parish of Smallwood

9. **Highways Act 1980 Section 119: Application for the Diversion of Public Footpath no. 9 (part), Parish of Minshull Vernon** (Pages 74 – 79)

To consider the application to divert part of Public Footpath No.9 in the parish of Minshull Vernon

10. **Highways Act 1980 Section 119: Application for the Diversion of Public Footpath no. 4 (part), Parish of Marthall** (Pages 80 - 85)

To consider the application to divert part of Public Footpath No.4 in the parish of Marthall

11. **Town and Country Planning Act 1990 Section 257: Application for the Diversion of Public Footpath no. 9 (part), Parish of Wettenhall** (Pages 86 - 91)

To consider the application to divert part of Public Footpath No.9 in the parish of Wettenhall

12. **Town and Country Planning Act 1990 Section 257: Application for the Diversion of Public Footpath No. 3 (Part) Parish Of Alsager** (Pages 92 - 98)

To consider an application for the diversion of part of Public Footpath No.3 in the parish of Alsager

THERE ARE NO PART 2 ITEMS